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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR DEA SPEAKER FOR DRUG ABUSE SEMINAR

1. DURING RECENT VISIT TO JAKARTA, COLOMBO PLAN DRUG ADVISOR PIO ABARRO RECOMMENDED GOI OFFICIALS SEEK OBTAIN DR. JOHN LANGER, CHIEF, PREVENTION SERVICE, DEA AS SPEAKER AT SEMINAR ON DRUG ABUSE SCHEDULED IN JAKARTA DECEMBER 15-19 UNDER SPONSORSHIP OF GOI MINISTRY OF HEALTH IN COOPERATION WITH COLOMBO PLAN, AID, AND OTHERS. ABARRO PRAISED LANGER'S PRESENTATION TO PAKISTAN NARCOTICS CONTROL BOARD WORKSHOP AUGUST 25-30, 1975 AND SUGGESTED HIS PARTICIPATION IN JAKARTA SEMINAR WOULD PROVIDE VALUABLE ENFORCEMENT-AGENCY PERSPECTIVE. FOLLOWING UP ABARRO'S SUGGESTION, ORGANIZERS OF GOI SEMINAR HAVE NOW ASKED IF LANGER COULD BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR THAT MEETING.

2. SEMINAR WILL HAVE 150 PARTICIPANTS FROM THROUGHOUT INDONESIA, AS WELL AS SEVERAL DELEGATES FROM OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES. THEME WILL BE "ROLE OF PREVENTION, TREATMENT AND UNCLASSIFIED

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REHABILITATION OF DRUG ABUSERS AMONG INDONESIAN YOUTH."

3. MISSION HAS ALREADY AUTHORIZED FUNDING FROM NARCOTICS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO COVER ATTENDANCE AT SEMINAR OF FOUR U.S. DRUG EXPERTS (JEAN PAUL SMITH AND JOSHUA HAMMOND OF NIDA, HELEN NOWLIS OF HEW/OE, AND DR. PETER BOURNE).

4. MISSION ENDORSES GOI REQUEST FOR DR. LANGER BUT CANNOT PROVIDE FUNDING, SINCE MISSION NARCOTICS ASSISTANCE FUNDS ALREADY FULLY COMMITTED.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER LANGER AVAILABLE TO ATTEND SEMINAR; AND IF SO, WHETHER FUNDING FOR TRAVEL CAN BE PROVIDED FROM DEA OR OTHER SOURCE.

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